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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARKS OFFICE**

**In The Matter of Patent Application:**

Applicant : Nortel Networks Limited  
Serial No. : 10/747,967  
Filing Date : December 29, 2003  
Title : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MULTIHOP  
MPLS/IP/ATM/FRAME RELAY/ETHERNET PSEUDO-WIRE  
Examiner : Silver, David  
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To: Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of January 9, 2007, please consider the following amendments:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.